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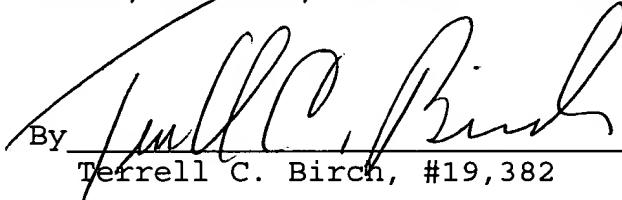
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 24, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please insert the following new paragraph on page 12, line 13:

--Fig. 7A is a transverse sectional view showing still another embodiment of a

photocoupling device of the invention;--

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Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 19, line 13, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--In order to thus mount two light emitting elements 1a and 1b on one header 9b, two

kinds of light emitting elements which have different structures (substrates) are used as the light emitting elements 1a and 1b as shown in Fig. 7A. That is to say, one is a light emitting

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